

States Government for fiscal year 2010, revising the appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal year 2009, and setting forth the appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal years 2011 through 2014. (H. Rept. 111–89)

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Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Carnahan to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Recess: The House recessed at 12:34 p.m. and reconvened at 2 p.m.

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Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Recognizing the anniversary of the tragic accident of the steamboat ship SS Sultana: H. Res. 329, amended, to recognize the anniversary of the tragic accident of the steamboat ship SS Sultana, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ ye-and-nay vote of 393 yeas with none voting “nay”, Roll No. 207;

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Supporting the goals and ideals of National Volunteer Week: H. Res. 335, to support the goals and ideals of National Volunteer Week, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ recorded vote of 396 yeas with none voting “no”, Roll No. 209;

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Supporting the goals and ideals of a National Early Educator Worthy Wage Day: H. Con. Res. 99, to support the goals and ideals of a National Early Educator Worthy Wage Day;

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Pre-Disaster Mitigation Act of 2009: H.R. 1746, to amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to reauthorize the pre-disaster mitigation program of the Federal Emergency Management Agency, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ ye-and-nay vote of 339 yeas to 56 nays, Roll No. 208; and

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Great Lakes Icebreaker Replacement Act: H.R. 1747, to authorize appropriations for the design, acquisition, and construction of a combined buoy tender-icebreaker to replace icebreaking capacity on the Great Lakes.

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Recess: The House recessed at 3:36 p.m. and reconvened at 6:30 p.m.

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Suspensions—Proceedings Postponed: The House debated the following measures under suspension of the rule. Further proceedings were postponed:

Commending the University of Connecticut Huskies: H. Res. 344, to commend the University of Connecticut Huskies for their historic win in the 2009 National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I Women’s Basketball Tournament and

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Supporting the observance of National Child Abuse Prevention Month: H. Res. 337, to support

the observance of National Child Abuse Prevention Month.

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Senate Messages: Message received from the Senate by the Clerk and subsequently presented to the House today appears on page H4738.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Two ye-and-nay votes and one recorded vote developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H4751, H4751–52, and H4752. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 12:30 p.m. and adjourned at 11:37 p.m.

Committee Meetings

U.S.-CUBA TRADE STATUS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Consumer Protection held a hearing on Examining the Status of U.S. Trade with Cuba and Its Impact on Economic Growth. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Commerce: Walter M. Bastian, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Western Hemisphere, International Trade Administration; and Matthew S. Borman, Acting Assistant Secretary, Export Administration, Bureau of Industry and Security; and public witnesses.

WAIVING A REQUIREMENT OF CLAUSE 6(a) OF RULE XIII WITH RESPECT TO CONSIDERATION OF CERTAIN RESOLUTIONS REPORTED FROM THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Committee on Rules: Granted, by a non-record vote, a rule waiving clause 6(a) of rule XIII (requiring a two-thirds vote to consider a rule on the same day it is reported from the Rules Committee) against certain resolutions reported from the Rules Committee. The rule applies the waiver to any resolution reported on the legislative day of April 28, 2009, providing for consideration or disposition of a conference report to accompany the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 13) setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 2010, revising the appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal year 2009, and setting forth the appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal years 2011 through 2014.

Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.